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No tempt me

not, I will not love, My soul could scarce sus - tain;

The thrill - ing trans - ports of its bliss, The

an - guish of its pain; Too full of

joy for earth to know, Too wild to look a - bove;

I could not bear the doubt, the dread, no!

No I will not love, No! no I will not

poco accel^o al fine.

love, No no no no no

poco accel^o al fine.

con fuerza. dolce. 2^d Verse.

no, I will not love. will not love.

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No! tempt me not — love's sweetest flower,
 Hath poison in its smile,
 Love only woes with dazzling power,
 To fetter hearts the while;
 I will not wear its rosy crown,
 Nor even its fragrance prove,
 I fear too much love's silent pain,
 No, no I will not love.
 No, no, no, &c...

No tempt me not. 4.

